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From: Starr Hazard
Sent: Wednesday, January 13, 2021 2:26 PM
To: PSC_Contact
Subject: [External] Dominion Energy's net metering proposal Docket #2020-229-E.

Dear PSC,

My name is Starr Hazard.

I live at:

Mount Pleasant, SC

I installed a solar array in the Summer of 2019.

Since installation my array has generated 12.0 MWh. In June 2020 my array produced 841KWh, in December 2020 585KWh.

I have invested approximately \$22,000 in my solar array. My SCE&G (now Dominion) bills have been slashed for EVERY MONTH of the every year since the system went live. I rather like that.

I understand that Dominion Energy's net metering proposal Docket #2020-229-E is a scheme to raise my power bill somewhere in the neighborhood of \$750/year. The increase is divided between a base fee for me (a solar customer) of \$19.50/mo, adds a solar subscription fee \$5.40 KWh, and drops the compensate paid for excess energy generated from \$0.11 to \$0.03/KWh.

The proposal is draconian and will stifle the solar industry in Dominion service areas of SC and penalize me directly.

We need a forward oriented energy plan not a stay-the-course plan as recently rejected with their 15 year plan. And we certainly need to encourage non-fossil fuel options for all customers. This proposal is anathema to the renewable energy industry in South Carolina.

I will add that attacking my investments in home solar is particularly galling considering the years of rate abuse heaped on me and indeed all SCE&G consumers from their nuclear power plant fiasco.

Please reject Dominion's anti-renewable energy proposal Public Service Commission Docket #2020-229E.

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